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For Freight,

The new and fast sailing brig Nereus, burthen 225 tons or about 2000 bbls. she is a superior copper fastened vessel, and daily expected from an Eastern port.

Also,

The schooner LAUREL, Thomas C. Stephens, master. She is a fine new vessel, of 100 tons burthen, for which a freight for Oporto or Lisbon would be preferred. She will probably be here in a few days. Apply to

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

February 24

For Freight,

The ship MARIA, J. Swaine, master, carries 3,500 barrels, is an excellent vessel, and in complete order to receive a cargo on board. Apply to

LAWARASON & FOWLE.

For Sale,

The schr UNION, burthen 100 tons or about 900 barrels, built of the best materials near New-Bedford, is coppered and copper fastened, and can be sent on a voyage at a trifling expense. She will be sold low and on liberal credit. If not sold at private sale, will be offered at auction on SATURDAY next at 12 o'clock, as she now lays at Central wharf. Apply as above.

February 23

For Freight,

The fine fast sailing Schr. FARMERS FRIEND, A. Seemis, master burthen, 80 tons or 450 barrels. She is nearly new, and will be in complete order for the reception of a cargo in 8 days. Apply to

T. H. HOWLAND.

2 mo 20

For Sale.

The elegant and very fast sailing sloop FRANCES, burthen 40 tons, nearly new, and in complete order.—Apply to

T. H. HOWLAND.

2 mo 20

For Sale,

A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season.

ALSO,

Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with a general assortment of rope, tar, boards, scantling, shingles, &c. &c.

JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.

February 15 3w

Liverpool Salt and Coal.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship Hazard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, from Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The ship HAZARD, burthen 3000 bls is in complete order and ready to load as soon as her present cargo can be discharged. Apply as above.

january 19

For Freight,

The sloop ALERT, capt. Smith, carries about 450 barrels, an excellent vessel, and will take freight for any southern port. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE.

january 14

Notice.

THE subscriber, desirous of making some arrangement with his creditors, by which he may be enabled to resume his business in this place, requests a meeting of them at Mr. Brown's Tavern, in the town of Alexandria, on the 10th day of March next, at which time and place he will lay before them a statement of his affairs.

JAMES ANDERSON.

February 24 wfm10M

Slaves for Sale.

ON the 10th day of April, in the present year, will be sold to the highest bidder, for ready money, in the town of Leesburg, in the county of Loudoun, several valuable slaves, in pursuance of a deed of trust. The title is indisputable.

jan 5 tutA10 EDM. I. LEE.

For Sale,

EIGHT shares Alexandria, } bank
40 do Union, } stock.

A lot of ground on St. Asaph-st. twenty three feet front, sixty feet deep, with a small frame back building thereon, at present occupied by Mary Johnson.

A vacant lot on Prince-st. twenty five front, seventy feet six inches deep, the back line binding on the other lot. For terms apply to

JOHN JANNEY,
Attorney for
WILLIAM MENDENHALL.

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Pinkerton's Grand Modern ATLAS.

THIS very superior Atlas is now completed, and ready for delivery to subscribers.

Gentlemen wishing to be possessed of this very valuable work will please apply to

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

February 25 thstu6t

Notice.

THE partnerships of Patons & Butcher, John W. Massie & Co. and Ezra Kinsey & Co. being dissolved by the decease of Jno. B. Paton as far as relates to his interest in those concerns, notice is hereby given to those persons indebted, whose time of Credit has expired, that payment of their accounts is required immediately.

WILLIAM PATON,
JONATHAN BUTCHER,
JOHN W. MASSIE,
EZRA KINSEY.

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English & German Almanacs For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of *school books and stationary*, suitable for the country trade, for sale by

Oct 8 JOHN A. STEWART.

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of

JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

PRINTING,

IN

All its various branches,

AT

S. H. DAVIS'S

PRINTING-OFFICE,

PRINTER'S ALLEY,

In the rear of W. F. Thornton's druggist store, *Fairfax-street,*

ALEXANDRIA.

Liverpool Salt.

TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Liverpool salt, the cargo of the sloop Alert, for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,

Who have just received 100 boxes fresh raisins. january 13

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs, Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper

August 28

New Books.

Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber,

TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the baroness de Stael; O'Reiley's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Raffle's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which Europe is divided according to the late act of the congress of Vienna Also,

A few copies of Bible News or Sacred Truths relating to the Living God, his only Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester, A M

ROBERT GRAY.

Oct 16

Romulus Riggs's *EXCHANGE BANKING HOUSE,* AND BROKER'S OFFICE,

Bridge-street, Georgetown.

THIS is intended as a permanent establishment, and the community will find it one of the greatest conveniences in the United States, and of great public utility. At this house the fair exchange on the different bank notes from every part of the union can at all times be had; It is to be hoped that, by the operations of this office, the community will get rid of a host of Shinocks, Shavers, Secret and Running Brokers, who infest the District, frequently proclaiming the failure of country solvent banks, for the express purpose of purchasing the notes of such institutions at great discounts. Business under the following heads will be transacted. This establishment possesses funds to negotiate for any amount, and all business done for cash.

1st. All bank checks, bills at sight, post notes not due, and bank notes from all parts of the United States, bought and sold.

2d. All notes, bills of exchange, dividends and interests, collected and remitted according to orders.

3d. The notes of the United States' bank and all of its branches received at par.

4th. Strangers, citizens, and others, may deposit current money for safe keeping—and if left for thirty days, or longer, will receive at the rate of six per cent. per annum for the same.

5th. All business in the line of a money broker promptly attended to for a small commission.

6th. All southern and western traders, bringing to the district large sums of southern and western bank notes, can deposit for safe keeping, and draw for the same as may suit their convenience.

7th. Prompt attention paid to the orders of all respectable brokers and exchange offices throughout the United States—who will please to favor me occasionally with their rates of exchange on bank notes and bills.

Georgetown, Dec. 9

Piano Fortes.

TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by

JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's *ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCER* For 1819,

CONTAINING—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; duties payable on goods, &c.; naval and custom house officers; public appraisers; information concerning patents; post office establishment; official army and navy lists; a correct register of the American navy; marine corps; government of the U. States, executive, legislative and judiciary; territorial governments; intercourse with foreign nations; directors and cashiers of the bank of the U. States, &c. &c.

ALSO,

THE LADY's POCKET-BOOK for 1819,

Containing—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; description of Pitcairn's island; bishop Watson's letter on a future state; remarks on female dress and on marriage; morality of the Battledore; account of the Cherokee schools. *Selected Poetry*—Answers to last year's enigmas; charades; new and fashionable songs; rebuses. New country dances and waltzes; marketing tables; tables reducing shillings and pence to cents; also for showing the value of dollars in pounds, shillings and pence—

Are just received for sale by

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

November 24 dtf

Sugar, &c.

LANDING from the brig Union, capt. Williams, from Marblehead, and for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,

150 bags white sugars, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia duck
200 do heavy and light ravens do
200 do white and brown shirtings
4000 lbs soft shelled almonds. jan 1

Salt.

TEN THOUSAND bushels of Liverpool coarse—Cadiz and Turks Island salt, received per brigs Benefactor and Dove, and schr Virginia Ann, and for sale by M. Miller & Son, or

jan 22 T. H. HOWLAND.

Mahogany on Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand and offers for sale 4 or 5000 feet first quality St. Domingo and Bay MAHOGANY, at the Baltimore prices for Cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit.—Gentlemen who are building can be supplied with hand railing cut to any dimensions, at a short notice—also any orders for furniture which the subscriber may be favored with, from persons residing either in town or the country will be promptly attended to and executed in a superior stile.

ROBT. ABERCROMBIE.

Corner of King and Alfred streets,

jan 20

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

December 5, 1818.

THE Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria are hereby notified that one quarter of the seventh instalment is called for to this institution, payable at the Bank on the 19th January next, one quarter on the 19th of February, and one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th of March next. By order of the Board,

Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in hhds
Jamaica pimento
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.

N. REILLY.

Sugar, Apples, &c.

RECEIVED by the sloop Rising-Sun, capt. Smith, from Providence, R. I. and for sale by E. CORNING,

Vowell's wharf,

60 bbls brown sugar
5 hhds N. E. rum
2 pipes gin
27 bbls cider
50 do apples
70 bushels potatoes
3000 wt. codfish jan 4

Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS,

AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern, Bridge-st Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the District of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on. August 18

Valuable Family Medicines.

JUST received direct from the proprietors, the following valuable Medicines, all of which have been in use for a number of years past, in almost every part of the United States; have been highly patronised by people of the first respectability; and approved by those who have had occasion to make use of them, for the cure of those disorders, for which they are severally calculated.

Dr. Lee's Genuine (Windham) Bilious Pills,

Universally known and used throughout the United States as a Family Medicine. The fame of these pills has become so great that many have attempted to counterfeit them—to guard against this, the proprietors have procured a Stereotype Label, and each box of Genuine Lee's Pills will hereafter be enclosed in one of these labels, with these words on the sides: "Lee's Genuine Windham Bilious Pills," and on the end of the Label the words, "Samuel Lee, patentee, &c. I. Thompson, agent, joint proprietor," &c. and should any be offered for sale without said Label on them, the purchaser may be apprised that they are counterfeit.

Dr. Thompson's Celebrated Eye-Water:

For the cure of inflamed and sore eyes of almost every description. This valuable preparation comes highly recommended from the most respectable sources. Price 50 and 25 cents a bottle.

Dr. Rawson's Genuine Itch Ointment:

A certain and safe cure for that disagreeable complaint, as well as other irruptions of the skin. Price 37½ cents a box.

Dr. Rawson's Anti-Bilious and Stomachic Bitters,

For weakly and infirm constitutions. Price 37½ cents a box.

Hinckley's Infallible Remedy for the Piles,

A most valuable medicine. Price 50 cents a box.

Specific Drops for the Tooth Ache,

Which in almost every case, gives instant relief, in that distressing complaint. Price 37½ cents a bottle.

Cooley's Vegetable Elixir, for Coughs, Asthmas, Consumptions, &c.

A very valuable medicine in those complaints. Price 50 cents a bottle.

For sale in Alexandria, by *Edward Stabler & Richard H. Litle*; in Georgetown, by *John Litle Otho. M. Linthicum & Co. & Nathaniel Jewit*; Washington City, *David Ott & Elisha Harrison.* 6w March 1

Bricklayers and Stone Masons Wanted.

I WISH to employ for the ensuing season a number of bricklayers and stone masons, to whom constant employment and good wages will be given, at Old Point Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need apply but good workmen and men of steady habits. Apply to the subscriber at old Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS.

February 6 tA1

The National Intelligencer and Federal Gazette will publish the above till April 1.

Shoes and Hats

S. & D. REED

HAVE just received a fresh supply, consisting of the following kinds—

Ladies' morocco bootees [colored
Do walking shoes, black &
Do leather do
Do cork sole do
Do morocco slips with military heels
Do black and colored
Do kid slips do
Misses' and children's morocco and leather
Men's calf skin shoes [ther shoes
Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do
Men's and boys low priced hats
Boys' white wool low priced do
2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual time to punctual dealers that purchase by the quantity. We take this method to inform country merchants that we have made arrangements for a large supply of shoes for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and Philadelphia prices. tf February 12

W. & W. Hannon,

CABINET-MAKERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they still continue to carry on the above business in all its various branches, at the same old stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince, and have now on hand a handsome assortment of cabinet ware, all of their own manufacture; consisting of side-boards, secretarys and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work stands, mahogany and stained wood bedsteads, cradles, sophas and easy-chairs, one handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c. Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Domingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and boards, and cut to any dimensions at a short notice—four or five thousand feet of elegant veneers for bureaus and secretarys, all of which they are determined to sell lower than the same quality can be had in the district. All kinds of upholstry work done as usual.

They would rent for one or more years a very excellent shop and yard for a carpenter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, situated on Royal-street, between Prince and Duke street. Feb 11 tf

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c.

FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover Seed
60 casks Goshen cheese
50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order
35 firkins butter
800 lbs. Tennessee live feathers
5 pipes choice London particular Madeira

Murdock & Co. and March & Co's brands, which will be sold low by the pipe or less quantity.

N. B. A general assortment of groceries as usual.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

February 8

The Public

CAN at all times be supplied, on the very best terms, with checks and bills at sight, and short dates to suit their convenience, on

Baltimore, Philadelphia, | New-York, Boston.

Apply at my *Exchange Banking House*, Bridge street, Georgetown, where the fair and most reasonable exchange can be had on bank notes from all parts of the United States. ROMULUS RIGGS.

February 22

Pork.

A FEW barrels of prime PORK at the ware house of Mr. Ambrose Vasse, Washington-street.

STROTHER M. HELM.

February 20

Wheat, Old Corn, and Maryland Tobacco,

PURCHASED BY

Oct 24 *LAWRASON & FOWLE.*

To the Public.

AN unusual sensibility has been excited in the minds of our countrymen by the copper plate engraving of the Declaration of Independence recently published, accompanied by fac similes of the signatures of those illustrious patriots who framed the document by which our independence was announced to the world. We feel, while we dwell on those signatures, as if we were ushered into the immediate presence of characters so exalted, and we seem for a time to participate in all the emotion which they felt on the approach of so awful a crisis—Hostile armies, desolate fields, towns and cities in conflagration—carnage and death in its most frightful forms apeared in prophetic vision on the one hand, and more than all, the complicated horrors, ignominy and slavery were presented for their acceptance on the other; they deliberated, they paused, they trembled, and at last solemnly appealing to the God of battles, they resolved that the United States were and ought to be free, sovereign and independent. These illustrious patriots, with five solitary exceptions, have now mingled with the common mould—they survive only in their country's glory and in the recollection of a grateful people. But it would be consoling to the present generation, separated as they now are from those patriots, by the intervention of the tomb, to become more intimately acquainted with their revolutionary benefactors. We love to dwell on the features of such men, snatched by the pencil from the oblivion of the grave, and emulate the prominent feats of their biography. Impressed with these ideas, the subscriber proposes, if suitable encouragement is given, to publish the lives of those patriots in numbers, until the whole is completed. The work will be executed in a style not inferior to any European productions, and the portraits by masters of acknowledged merit. The biography will be written by *Paul Allen*, esq. whose intimacy with the several signers, whose familiarity with the privations and hardships they had to undergo, and whose well known talents will be sufficient to ensure the patronage of an enlightened people. In the execution of this work, all that the publisher dares to promise is, that he will endeavor to deserve the confidence of his countrymen, and that no exertion on his part will be wanting to prevent an abuse of that confidence. He ventures to solicit the assistance of those gentlemen in possession of authentic facts and anecdotes, by communicating the intelligence that will serve to illustrate the characters and to enrich the biography of those founders of the American Republic.—Those who are in possession of their portraits would enlarge the obligation by a loan of the same.

A prospectus with the terms will be given in a few days.

JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,

48, *Market-street, Baltimore.*

***Any printer who will publish this notice and become responsible for five subscribers, shall receive one copy of the work.

December 22

The National Register

IS a paper which is published, every Saturday, at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and each number contains sixteen pages octavo, in small but very legible type. It makes two volumes in the year; and every volume is accompanied with a copious Index. The price per annum is five dollars, payable in advance. The Public Documents, both foreign and domestic; the proceedings of Congress, and authentic news of every description, are regularly inserted therein, and accompanied by critical and explanatory remarks. Its value is also enhanced by occasional reviews of literary works; and all its sentiments are decidedly American, independent of all party considerations. For this work, which is well established, regularly published, and transmitted weekly to subscribers by the mail, the public patronage is respectfully solicited.

LAWRENCE, WILSON & Co.

December 12 tf

GAZETTE
AND
Alexandria Daily Advertiser.

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SAMUEL SNOWDEN,
ROYAL-STREET.

Daily Gazette, 7 dolls...Country, 5 dolls.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3. 1819.

From the Washington City Gazette.

SEMINOLE WAR.

IN SENATE, FEBRUARY 24, 1819.

The hon. Mr. Lacock, from the select committee of investigation relative to the Seminole war, and to the advance of the United States' troops into West Florida, made a report, as the document states, on the authority of *facts*. After such an elaborate and able investigation of the same question as was made in the house of representatives, the reader will perhaps be surprised to learn that this report presents quite a novel and interesting view of the subject. Not being able to gratify our readers with an entire copy in this paper, we have extracted, to-day, some of the most striking passages of the document. Although this report must have cost the committee much labor and research, there does not appear to be time, in the few days left of the present session, for any legislative interposition. The report observes—

"It is with regret that the committee are compelled to declare, that they conceive gen. Jackson to have disregarded the positive orders of the department of war, the constitution and laws. That he has taken upon himself, not only the exercise of those powers delegated to congress as the sole legislative authority of the nation, and to the president and senate as it relates to the appointments; but of the power which had been expressly reserved to the states in the appointment of the officers of the militia. A power the more valuable to the states, because, as they had surrendered to the general government the revenues and physical force of the nation; they could only look to the officers of the militia as a security against the possible abuse of the delegated power. The committee find the melancholy fact before them, that military officers, even at this early stage of this republic, have, without the shadow of authority, raised an army of at least 2,500 men, and mustered them into the service of the United States. Two hundred and thirty officers have been appointed and their rank established, from an Indian brigadier general, down to the lowest subaltern of a company. To whom were those officers accountable for their conduct? Not to the President of the United States, for it will be found that it was not considered necessary even to furnish him with a list of their names; and not until the payrolls were made out and payment demanded, were the persons known to the department of war. And in this place it is proper to observe, that general Jackson seemed to consider those officers of his own creation, competent to discharge all the functions of officers appointed by the authority of the general government, for we find five of them detailed afterwards to sit on a general court martial, on trial of life and death. Might not on the same principles, general Jackson have tried, condemned and executed, an officer of the Georgia militia, by the sentence of a court martial composed of officers created by him, and holding their assumed authority by the tenor of his will?

Your committee will dismiss this branch of the subject by observing that consistently with the character and genius of our government, no officer, however high or exalted his station, can be justified for an infraction of the constitution. It is an offence against the sovereignty of the nation; this sovereignty being vested in the great body of the people. The constitution is the written expression of their will, and above the control of all the public functionaries combined. And when that instrument has been violated, the people alone have power to grant the indemnity for its infraction; all that can be said in favor of the officer who transcends his constitutional powers must be taken, not in justification of the act, but in mitigation of the enormity of the offence committed."

The following are the concluding passages of the report:

But there are still other reasons disclosed and facts developed, that discover the motives of the commanding officer, more fully than those above stated. More than two months after this campaign had ended, and the Seminole war was terminated, another expedition is planned, and the land and naval forces of the United States ordered to execute it, which is to reduce the fortress of St. Augustine, the capital of East Florida. The reasons offered for this measure are stated in his order to gen. Gaines, dated Nashville, 7th August, 1818, and are as follows:

"I have noted with attention, major Twiggs' letter, marked No. 5. I contemplated that the agents of Spain, or the officers at fort St. Augustine, would excite the Indians to hostility and furnish them with the means of war. It will be necessary to obtain evidence substantiating this fact, and that the hostile Indians have been fed and furnished from the garrison of St. Augustine. This being obtained, should you deem your force sufficient, you will proceed to take and garrison fort St. Augustine with American troops, and hold the garrison prisoners until you hear from the president of the United States, or transport them to Cuba, as in your judgment, under existing circumstances, you may think best.

"Let it be remembered, that the proceedings carried on by me, or this order, is not on the ground that we are at war with Spain, it is on the ground of self preservation, bottomed on the broad basis of the law of nature and of nations, and justified by giving peace and security to our frontiers, hence the necessity of procuring evidence of the fact of the agents or officers of Spain, having excited the Indians to continue the war against us, and that they have furnished them with the means of carrying on the war; this evidence being obtained, you will (if your force is sufficient) permit nothing to prevent you from reducing fort St. Augustine, except positive order from the department of war.

"Orders some time since have been given to the officer of the ordinance, commanding at Charleston, to have in readiness a complete battering train, the number and calibre of the guns pointed out, I have no doubt you will find them in readiness.

"I enclose you the report of Captain Henly, of the naval force on that station; you will open a correspondence with commandant A. J. Dallas, to insure his co-operation, provided it should be required."

In this projected expedition, it was not thought necessary or expedient to consult the executive branch of the government; the order sent to General Gaines was peremptory, on the discovery being made that the Indians had been supplied with amunition and provision, and excited to war—the blow was to be struck, and nothing but an express order from the Secretary of war was to prevent it. Long before this period the commanding general had, by his letters to the secretary of war, declared the Seminole war at an end, and after which not a single new act of hostility had been committed. Yet in this state of peace, is a military officer directed to ascertain certain facts, and on such facts being substantiated to make war on the neutral colony of a nation in peace and amity with the U. States, thus disregarding not only the legislative and executive authorities of the U. States, but setting at naught the usages of all civilized nations, by making war without a previous and public declaration. Were this nation subject to the will of a military despot, and were there no constitutional barriers to the inordinate exercise of military ambition, more than this could scarcely have been expected. It is with pain the committee are constrained to make these observations; but the vital principles of the constitution have been violated, as they conceive, it would be criminal in them under the instructions they have received from the senate, and the duty they owe the nation, to be silent. Silence on their part would have been considered an acquiescence in those measures, and they fear this precedent and example may be pleaded and followed on future occasions.

If these things be admitted in the south, will they not be considered as authorized in the north? Are there not fortresses there to be won, and provinces to be conquered, and are there not Indians in that quarter likewise, and may not the officers in command find means to prove that those Indians have been or hereafter may be furnished by the British with arms and munitions of war, and if so, may be not follow the example set in the south? And add something to his stock of military fame by reducing the British fortresses of Canada, and unfurling the star spangled banner of this nation, on the walls of Quebec.

We hope better things of the distinguished officer, at the head of our armies, and we had hoped better things of the hero of New Orleans, but we have been disappointed, and if the conduct of the officers in the south, be sanctioned and approved by the nation, we are free to declare that the reduction of Quebec, (where Montgomery fell, unable to conquer) would present a much stronger claim to public approbation.

It is necessary here to remark, that a copy of the order issued by General Jackson to General Gaines, for the reduction of St. Augustine, was transmitted to the Secretary of war, and a countermanding order promptly despatched to General Gaines, which reached him, before the military expedition set on foot by General Jackson, had commenced; and thus was suddenly arrested a military scheme, (as unconstitutional as it was impolitic) and which might, as stated by the secretary of war, in his letter of the 8th day of Sept. 1818, have involved this nation in a war with all Europe.

In thus promptly prohibiting the unauthorized seizure, at the will of a commanding general of the possessions of a neighboring nation with whom the United States are at peace, the committee recognize that sacred regard to the rights of other nations, which ought never to be departed from by the executive of a free country, and that vigilant attention to the conduct of the officers of the army, which is necessary to secure a due subordination of the military to the civil power.

They consider that on this occasion, the executive of the United States has (by promptly restoring St. Marks and Pensacola, wrested from Spain, in violation of instructions) pursued the course, that the constitution demanded, that all former precedents justified, and to which the public sentiment gave a decided approbation.

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*See Mr. King's letter to the Secretary of State, vol. 10, p. —, State Papers.

Washington, Tuesday, March 2.

A full report of yesterday's proceedings of the two Houses of Congress, prepared for this paper, is excluded to-day by other matter, which we are anxious no longer to defer.

Amongst the subjects acted on by the Senate were the Missouri and the Alabama bills; the former passed with the amendment which was made on Saturday, (to strike out the restriction concerning slavery;) and the latter passed as it was received from the other House; that is without any provision in it respecting the prohibition of slavery in the territory.

In the house of representatives many bills were matured and passed, the principle ones, were the bill authorizing the occupation of Florida, under the late treaty—and the bill concerning the currency of foreign coins—and amongst the bills ordered to a third reading, was that in addition to the acts prohibiting the slave trade.

[*Nat. Intelligencer.*

Washington, March 1.

DEFENCE OF THE CHESAPEAKE.

The officers of the Corps of Engineers, Generals Swift and Bernard, and Colonels Armstead and McRee, and those of the Navy, Captains Warrington and Elliot, who were commissioned by the President, under a resolution of the last session of Congress, to survey the Chesapeake Bay, for the purpose of ascertaining the most suitable scite for a Naval Depot, and to plan a general system of defence for this American Mediterranean, as well as the coast generally, have executed the orders of the President, and on Friday last laid their report before him. The spot selected by the Commissioners for the Depot, is said to be neither of those which have been most spoken of as suitable scites. It is probable that the report will form the subject of a communication to Congress before their adjournment. [*Ibid.*

Baltimore, March 1.

MAJOR GENERAL JACKSON,

Arrived in this city on Saturday morning between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock, in the steam boat Philadelphia. His approach was announced by a national salute from Fort McHenry, as also by the Baltimore Independent Blues, commanded by captain Wilson (from Federal Hill) who had taken post there for the purpose.

After landing the general was received by the Regular Blues, commanded by capt. Barrett, and escorted to Williamson's hotel.

The citizen soldiers of Baltimore, who breasted the storm in the hour of invasion and peril, will this day (Monday) pay their respects to the illustrious chieftain whose valor, patriotism and distinguished services have so eminently contributed to entitle him to the love and veneration of the American people.

After the parade the general will partake of a public dinner given in honor of his arrival among us. From the respectability and high standing of the committee of arrangement, its splendor may be correctly anticipated.

It is understood the general will be addressed by the corporation.

Baltimore Telegraph.

Capt. Reardon of the brig Spry, arrived last evening from Rio Janeiro, reports, that accounts were received over land from Valparaiso, that the Spanish expedition some time expected, on making their appearance, were decoyed into the port by keeping the royal flag flying on the fortification in possession of the Patriots; they consisted of one 50 gun ship, two sloops of war and seven transports, with a number of troops, all of whom fell an easy prey to the Patriots. It was understood at Rio, that the whole country surrounding Monte Video, was in possession of General Artigas. [*Ibid.*

Captain Anthony, of the schooner Ann, who arrived here on Saturday, from Aux-Cayes, states, that General Macgregor, arrived at Aux Cayes a few days before the sailing of the Ann, with two armed Ships full of Troops, and several others were daily expected to rendezvous there. The number of Troops the General said would amount to 3000——their destination the Spanish Main. [*Ibid.*

From the Boston Intelligencer.

The discharge of Capt. Batchelder, Mr. Radford, the first officer, and Mr. Thomas C. Smith, the supercargo, of the ship William, from commitment on a malicious complaint preferred against them by some of the crew, has afforded general satisfaction. A seaman belonging to the ship died a few days after her arrival, and the complaint alleged, that he came to his death in consequence of chastisement inflicted on the 24th Nov. last, on the passage from Calcutta. It was distinctly and clearly proved by the testimony of the most respectable medical gentlemen, that from an examination of the body, he could not have come to his death from the consequences of any alledged chastisement, but that it was caused by the long continued intemperate use of ardent spirits, which had diseased every part of the system, and finally terminated in a serious appoplexy.

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GREAT LUCK AT ALLENS' IN ONE DAY.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY,

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No. 122, a prize of 1000,
Was remitted by mail to a foreign correspondent.
No 145, a prize of 1000,
Was sold in shares to citizens of Baltimore.
No. 370, a prize of 1000,
Was sold to a young gentleman in Calvert-street in a whole ticket.
No. 384, a prize of 1000,
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No. 1018, a prize of 1000,
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No. 1128, a prize of 1000,
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No. 1133, a prize of 1000,
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No. 1144, a prize of 1000,
(A single ticket) remitted by mail to a gentleman in N. York.
No. 1817, a prize of 1000,
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By a comparison of the foregoing list of splendid capitals obtained at the lucky office, with the original scheme, it will be seen that more capital prizes, and a greater amount, in this lottery, have been sold at

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Prize Tickets received in payment for undrawn Tickets in the University Lottery. 6t March 2

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CHAS. EWELL.
Feb 27 3w Trustee.

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As these negroes have committed no fault they will be sold only to residents in the neighborhood of Alexandria.—Enquire of the Printer, Feb. 26

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, *SAMUEL LOGAN*, an apprentice to the Loaf Bread Baking Business. I will give the above reward if taken in Washington or Georgetown, and bro't home, or two dollars if taken in Alexandria. All persons are forwarned from harboring or employing him, as they will be dealt with according to law. J. M'DONALD.
February 24.

St. Ubes Salt & Lemons.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the schooner Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes,
3000 bushels St. Ubes salt
25 boxes lemons
Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 12

District of Columbia, to wit:

WHEREAS a libel hath been filed by George Lake, for himself and others, against the schr Retaliation and all others concerned, stating that the said schr Retaliation, a wreck, lying sunk upon the point opposite the fish wharf, Alexandria, Maryland side of the river, being completely cut through with the ice, and the said George Lake having, at the request of Wm. R. Maddox, one of the owners of the said schr. at great labor and expense, got up the said schr. and bro't her safe to the wharf at Washington—and whereas the hon. Wm. Cranch judge of the District court for the District of Columbia, having ordered that a special District court for the trial of the above case be holden at the Court House in the town of Alexandria, on MONDAY, the eighth day of March next at 10 o'clock A. M: This is therefore to cite and admonish all persons whatsoever having or pretending to have any right, title, interest or claim in, and to the said schooner, Retaliation, to be and appear at the same time and place aforesaid before the Judge aforesaid, to shew cause, if any they have, why a reasonable salvage should be decreed thereout to the libellant, and all others entitled.

DANIEL MINOR, D. M. for
TENCH RINGGOLD, M. D. C:
February 18

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale at reduced prices, for approved paper at long dates

55 hhds West-India rum
68 " N. E. rum
30 bls do do
15 hhds and 10 bls India Point and common gin
1 bbd and 1 bbl cherry bounce
10 bbls coloring
64 boxes white Havana sugar
23 " brown do
80 hhds retailing molasses
26 bags green Havana coffee
20 chests young hyson tea
1 chest imperial do
350 boxes mould candles
25 do dipped do
97 do yellow and brown soap
50 do fancy soap
27 tons Russia old sable iron
200 pieces Russia sheetings
37 bales and cases English, India, German and domestic goods
18 boxes men's and boy's coarse and fine hats
3 cases large and small combs
20 frails Arabian dates
12 boxes Turkey figs
40 do Muscatel raisins
3 casks lemon juice
Cassia mustard and ginger
Pipes, half pipes and quarter casks Scotts and other Madeira and Sicily Madeira wines
Reams writing, sugar loaf, wrapping and sheathing paper
Bales English herring seine twine
1 bbl indigo
25 casks red ore
400 casks lime
1500 bushels loose lime
100 M clear and merchantable boards
2000 bushels Albany oats
2700 bushels Isle of May salt
3000 do Liverpool coarse do
600 do Lisbon do
15 casks Connecticut cheese
Boxes dun codfish
25 bls prime pork
10 " navy beef
60 No. 2 herrings
35 casks English powder, lying in the powder house
5 cases men's and boy's shoes
50 boxes double refin'd Italian brimstone
25 Connecticut ploughs
Clocks, time pieces and mahogany furniture
Weavers' reeds or slays
Nest measures, boxes, gin cases and shaving boxes
100 grindstones
Yawl boats
110 kegs large and small twist manufactured tobacco
4 bales hops
15 tons fustic
15 crates and hhds Liverpool ware
40 boxes window glass, of various sizes
Cordage, handspikes, mast hoops, hanks, &c. &c. March 1

Hemp and Sugars.

TWENTY tons very superior clear Russia hemp.
32 barrels Muscavado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen, from Boston, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 1

Fish Barrels and Salt.

TWELVE hundred fish barrels, superior quality, which will be sold low.
6000 bushels salt, suitable for the fisheries.
ALSO,
Cordage and cork for seines, for sale by
Feb 18 tf A. ADAMS,
Central wharf.

Clover Seed.

AN additional supply of fresh CLOVER SEED, is this day received and on sale by T. CRUSE.
February 20

Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent quality Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND.
january 4

Engineer Department,

Washington, January 28, 1819.

PROPOSALS will be received for the delivery of 4000 casks of Thomastown lime; 2000 casks at Old Point Comfort, Chesapeake Bay, in the months of February, March and May; and 2000 at Fort Washington, on the Potomac, in the months of March, May, July, September and November. W. K. ARMISTEAD,
Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers.

John T. O. Wilbar,

Hatter and Furrier, Fairfax-street,

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, for the liberal encouragement he has met with from them, since his commencement in business. He begs leave to inform them he has now on hand an elegant assortment of

Coarse and Fine Hats,

which he will sell very low. He particularly solicits the patronage of the inhabitants at this time, to enable him to bear up under the pressure of the times, and the more cruel pressure of recent treatment.
February 24 7t

Notice.

WAS committed to Fairfax county jail, by warrant from under the hand and seal of George Mason, esq.

Negro Edmond,

as a runaway. The negro, on examination, says he was formerly the property of William Johnson, of Gloucester county, Virginia, and sold by said Johnson to some negro trader, the man's name he knows not. Edmond is about 21 years old, 5 feet 4 inches high, strong and well made—his cloathing an old mixed country pair of pantaloons, an old roundabout jacket, and an old wool hat. The owner, if any, is requested to come forward, prove his property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be dealt with according to law.

PETER B. BRADLEY, Jailor,
February 10 w3m

SALES AT AUCTION.

Public Sale.

On THURSDAY, the 4th day of March, will be sold at *Rowney's* wharf, one fourth part of the ship MARIA, burthen 3,500 barrels, now in complete order for the reception of a cargo.

Terms made known at the time of sale.
S. A. MARSTELLER, auct.

By S. A. MARSTELLER.

On FRIDAY, at 10 A. M.

At the auction store, corner of Prince and Water Streets, will be sold,

Broad and narrow cloths
Cassimeres
Coatings
Flushings
Pelisse cloths
Flannels
Furniture and India callico
And some fancy articles, among which are,
Superb silk lace shawls
Silk shawls, various patterns
Silk fringe
Plush trimmings
Ferreting
Fashionable ribbons, broad & narrow
Love ribbon
Silk, cotton and leather gloves
Silk, twist, buttons, &c.
ALSO,
Sugar in barrels
Gin in pipes
Tinware.
Cocoa nuts
Furniture, beds &c. &c.

Public Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the U. S. circuit court for the District of Columbia for the county of Alexandria, will be sold on the premises on the 12th day of *March* next, a lot of ground, on which is erected a frame tenement, situate on the north side of Duke street and to the westward of Alfred street in the town of Alexandria—21 feet 3 inches front and 88 feet deep to an alley 20 feet wide—subject to an annuity or rent charge of 26 66-100 per annum. Terms at sale.

Feb 19 A. MOORE, Commis'r.

To Rent,

A very convenient, small dwelling house, with every necessary out house for the accommodation of a family, together with a good garden lot, situate on Alfred-street, near Mr. M'Clean's sugar house: possession may be had immediately. Apply to

SAMUEL KIRK,
February 27 3t Union-street.

Houses and Stores

To Rent.

TWO brick houses and stores at the corner of King and Henry streets

One brick house and store on King, between Patrick and Henry streets

Two brick houses on Cameron-street, near the theatre

One brick house on Royal-street, for the time of the late occupant, Chas. Tyler. Inquire of

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

N. B. Sundry building lots on Fairfax, Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen and Royal streets, for sale or on ground rent.
February 13

For Rent,

That large three story fire proof warehouse, lately built by the subscriber on Thompson's wharf.

Feb 4 1m JACOB MORGAN.

To Rent,

That new brick dwelling, pleasantly situated on King-street, opposite A. C. Cazenove's Esqr. and now occupied by S. Harper, Esqr. Also a store and ware house, with dry, floored cellars, fitted up for business, at the south west corner of King and Patrick streets: and a comfortable frame dwelling house, with stable and garden, nigh to the above. Possession of any of the property may be had immediately. RICHARD. SLADE.

Who having relinquished business, desires all accounts to be handed for settlement at his father's counting room jan 29

Sugar and Beef.

FIFTY barrels Muscovado sugar
70 barrels No. 1 beef
Landing from sloop Joseph and for sale by
jan 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Richmond Coal.

THE cargo of the schr. Erie, lying at Ramsay's wharf, of Heth's best coal, for sale by

JOHN JACKSON & Co.
February 25

Wanted,

A YOUNG MAN of sober and steady habits, to superintend a fishery. None need apply but one who is well acquainted with seine hauling, and can come well recommended. Enquire of the Printer.
February 24

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, that he has re-commenced the above business, opposite the Mechanics' Bank, King-street, and intends keeping on hand a handsome assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's boots and shoes of all descriptions of his own manufacture, at as reasonable prices as can be had in town, and of good quality, as he is determined none shall excel him in the District for fashion, durability and neatness, and hopes by his strict attention, to merit a share of public patronage.

All orders and measures will be strictly attended to and executed on the shortest notice.

Two apprentices wanted to the above business: boys from the country will be preferred. JAMES C. WHITE.
February 20

HOUSES, LANDS &c.

Building Lots or Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
October 13 tf

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to
WM. HERBERT, jr.
August 25 tf

To Let,

THAT convenient Brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to be had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 3

To Rent,

A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.—Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.
November 12

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq., for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

☞ All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 28 dtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very

substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary outhouse, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.
September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber is desirous of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood,—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and

convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutricious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 160 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a

brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, esq. or
Oct FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

For Rent.

A very convenient dwelling house on the lower part of Royal-st. adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Generes. Possession may be had immediately.
JOHN T. BROOKS.
january 1

For Rent,

A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given immediately. For terms apply to
ROBERT HUNTER.
january 2

Aromatic Snuff,

For Catarrh Headache.

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of eheinistry in the university of Cambridge, mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.
September 24 tf

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Samuel Smith, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

District of Columbia:

County of Alexandria, ss. } 1818.
November Term,

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William Webster, according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria newspapers three weeks successively.

A Copy,
Teste, EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
january 26 d3w

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit, } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Vanname, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Robert McCrea and William Gregory, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Robert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, William Cooper; Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Lindsay & Hill; Thomas Janney and John D. Brown, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Thomas Janney & Co.; Bryan H. Mullin, Bryan Hampson and Robert H. Harrison, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Bryan H. Mullin & Co.; Anthony Holmead, John Stetinius, John Ingle and Eleazer Lindsay, under the firm of Ingle & Lindsay, *Defendants*

THE defendant Thomas H. Beall, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 26

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Peter Hewitt, *Complainants.*
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse and Rounsavell, George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants.*

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the president and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the president and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for 2 months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I LEE, C C.
january 22 f2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas W. Peyton and William H. Dundass, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

To Ship-owners,

MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS

THE subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of *Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c.* in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.
Oct 31 DANIEL MUNRO.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

John & Wright Southgate, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld, and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller; Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville and Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, Executor of William Tyler; Ambrose Vase, Robert N Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburgh, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants.*

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Saun'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 23 s2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.
9th mo 16 tf

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

James Sanderson, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Catherine F. McCall not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES:

To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures.

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IT seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and so falsely dignified with the name of Biography: we wish to represent the characters as they were; they stand in need of no panegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a developement of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances in their possession to unfold and illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recompense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any engraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the Declaration of Independence, from the first motion that was made on the floor of congress until its final passage into a law, a period embracing much curious and secret history: finally, we promise to add to our last number the Declaration of Independence itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures. We have now compendiously stated the objects of our present undertaking, and we hope that it will be unnecessary to mention that no exertions on our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our project, which does indeed seem to be demanded, by the avidity so recently displayed for the possession of the Declaration of Independence, since it is of very little import to become acquainted with a man's hand writing without a previous knowledge of the man. The secret history of our Declaration of Independence, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to that instrument, accompanied by their likenesses, and finally the Declaration itself with fac-similes of the signatures, will bring into one compact view the prominent facts of that interesting crisis.

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ORDERED that John Barnes, Jol thoron, and Henry Gardiner, e tors of Samuel Bond, deceased, gi notice required by law to the dece creditors to exhibit their claims, an the same be published once a week succeeding weeks in the Alexandri zette and Daily Advertiser.

Test, TRUEMAN TYLER, R.
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,
That the subscribers have obtained the Orphans Court of Prince Georges ty, in Maryland, letters testamentary personal estate of Samuel Bond Esq. Prince Georges County deceased; a sons having claims against the said d ed are hereby warned to exhibit the with the vouchers thereof, to the s bers at, or before the 24th day of next—they may otherwise, by law, cluded from all benefit of the said es

Given under our hands, this 21st February, 1818.
JOHN SOTHORON, }
JOHN BARNES, } Execs
HENRY GARDINER, }
February 24 w

Fifty Dollars Rewar

RAN away from the subscriber th August last, a negro man, nam

Jack Barton,

thirty years of age, 5 feet 3 inche a carpenter by trade; he is a dark m stammers in his speech, and when shuts his eyes.—His clothing is not as he has been bred out, and a goo from home. I think he is in the ne hood of Piscataway, as he has a wife number of friends there.

I will give thirty dollars if taken less than thirty miles from home, above reward if at a greater distan that I get him again.

SAMUEL ED
February 10 w

The editor of the Washington C zette will publish the above once for three weeks, and send his acc this office.